### Article VII. Taxicabs.

# Section 16-66. "Taxicab" defined.

The word "taxicab," when used in this article, shall mean a taxicab as defined in section 361 of Article 23 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, 1957. (1951, ch. 93, § 1.) Section 16-67. Authority of city to regulate taxicabs.

The mayor and council of Brunswick are hereby authorized and empowered to enact ordinances providing regulations for the operation of taxicabs in the city and for the registration and fixing requirements for the owners and operators of the taxicabs so as to protect the safety, health and general welfare of the city and its residents, citizens and occupants; provided, that such regulations are not in conflict with the laws of the state and regulations adopted by the commissioner of motor vehicles. (1951, ch. 93, § 1.)

# Section 16-68. Aid from state public service commission.

The mayor and council of Brunswick shall be empowered to request the aid of the public service commission of the state in the determination of rates which may be established under this article. The public service commission shall be empowered to extend such aid as may be requested from time to time by the mayor and council of Brunswick in the determination of rates so far as such aid is consistent with the statutory powers conferred upon such commission by the laws of the state. (1951, ch. 93, § 1.)

## Section 16-69. Penalty for violation of city taxicab ordinance.

The violation of any of the provisions of any ordinance enacted pursuant to this article shall be considered a misdemeanor. Upon conviction thereof before a trial magistrate of the city or other competent court, the offender shall be subject to a fine of not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each offense and, in default of payment of the fine, to imprisonment for not exceeding twenty-five days. (1951, ch. 93, § 1.)

#### Article VIII. Waters and Sewers.

## Section 16-70. Powers.

The mayor and council of Brunswick shall have the following authority and power:

- A. To construct, operate and maintain a water supply system and water plant.
- B. To construct, operate and maintain a sanitary sewerage system, a sewerage treatment plant and storm water sewers and drainage system.
- C. To inspect, reconstruct, enlarge, alter, repair, improve or dispose of the above plants and systems and all parts, installation and structures thereof.
- D. To have surveys, plans, specifications and estimates made for any of the above plants or systems or parts or extensions thereof.